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FOREST DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 16th February 1874.

It is hereby notified that the timber sale at the Mysore Woodyard, advertised for the 20th February 1874, is unavoidably postponed till Monday the 16th March 1874.

D. E. HUTCHINS,
For Conservator of Forests,
Mysore and Coorg.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th February 1874.

It is hereby notified for general information that a reward of Rs. 50 will be given to any person who may furnish information leading to the apprehension of one Taralandur Srinivasaiengar, *alias* Srinivas Raghavachari, who stands charged with committing theft in a transit-coach between Maddur and Gazzalgere.

Name.—Taralandur Srinivasaiengar, *alias* Srinivas Raghavachari.
Age.—About 40 years.
Caste.—Brahman of the Vadagale Vaishnava.
General Appearance.—Tall, red, and the chest is low. Hair somewhat red. The eyebrows are black.

F. H. T. G. CUMMING, *Offg. Dy. Commr.*

Monthly Form C.

Births and Deaths registered in the Provinces of Mysore and Coorg during the month of November 1873.

Division.	Name of District.	Population according to Census.			Total Deaths from all Causes.			Ratio of Deaths per cent of Population from all Causes.			Number of Births registered.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
NUNDYDROOG.	Bangalore District	414,543	413,811	828,354	531	450	981	·13	·11	·12	491	516	1007
	Kolar do	309,685	309,269	618,954	350	315	665	·11	·10	·11	309	267	576
	Toomkoor do	315,440	316,799	632,239	293	299	592	·09	·09	·09	162	193	355
	Total of the Division...	10,39,668	10,39,879	20,79,547	1174	1064	2238	·11	·10	·11	962	976	1938
ASHTAGRAM.	Mysore District	467,562	475,625	943,187	369	263	632	·08	·05	·07	224	209	433
	Hassan do	328,324	340,093	688,417	293	193	491	·08	·06	·07	195	154	349
	Total of the Division...	795,886	815,718	16,11,604	662	461	1123	·08	·06	·07	419	363	782
NAGAR.	Shimoga District	258,446	240,530	498,976	·251	204	455	·09	·08	·09	198	197	395
	Kadur do	170,337	163,588	333,925	159	141	300	·09	·08	·09	121	113	234
	Chitaldroog do	271,587	259,773	531,360	221	202	423	·08	·07	·08	162	182	344
	Total of the Division...	700,370	663,891	13,64,261	631	547	1178	·09	·08	·08	481	492	973
	Total of the Province...	25,35,924	25,19,488	50,55,412	2467	2072	4539	·09	·08	·09	1862	1831	3693
COORG.	Coorg	94,454	73,858	1,68,312	154	132	286	·16	·18	·17	92	64	156

OFFICE OF DEPUTY-SURGEON GENERAL, I. M. D.,
MYSORE DIVISION & CEDED DISTRICTS,
Bangalore, 1st December 1873.

H. R. OSWALD, M. D.,
For Dy. Surgeon-General, I. M. D.

Mean Meteorological Results from the Records of the Bangalore Observatory for the weeks ending 23rd and 30th January 1874.

Barometer (reduced to 32°)		27·056	27·507
Thermometers (daily means)	Dry	67.9	71.5
	Wet	58·7	63.2
Extremes in shade, dry bulb	Maximum	80·2	83.8
	Minimum	57·0	61.1
Dew point	...	...	.....
Humidity	...	58	64
Sun Maximum in Vacuo	...	130·4	136·2
Minimum on grass	...	52·5	56·9
Wind — Direction	...	East.	S.E.by.S
Wind — Velocity	...	140	127
Rain (Inches)	...	...	.....
Percentage of clear sky	...	85	75

Deaths in the Town and Cantonment of Bangalore during the Weeks ending 23rd and 30th January 1874.

Estimated Population. Males .. 72,298; Females .. 70,215; Total .. 142,513

DISEASES.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Cholera	...	...	...	...	...	...
Small-Pox	...	1	1	1	3	4
Fevers	12	12	24	14	13	27
Bowel Complaints	4	1	5	2	...	2
Suicide	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wounding	...	...	...	...	...	...
Accident	1	...	4	...	...	...
Snake-bite or killed by Wild Beasts	...	...	...	...	...	...
All other causes	21	20	44	14	21	35
Total...	44	34	78	31	37	68
Births during the the same period.	56	43	99	49	54	103

Deaths in the Town of Mysore for the weeks ending 23rd and 30th January 1874.

Estimated Population. Males .. 29,055; Females .. 28,710; Total .. 57,765

DISEASES.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Cholera	...	...	...	...	...	...
Small-Pox	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fevers	5	4	9	8	6	14
Bowel Complaints	3	5	8	5	10	15
Suicide	...	...	...	1	...	1
Wounding	...	...	...	1	...	1
Accident	...	...	...	...	...	...
Snake-bite or killed by Wild Beasts	...	...	...	...	...	...
All other causes	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	8	9	17	15	16	31
Births during the the same period.	9	15	24	12	14	26

26th January 1874.

J. L. RANKING,
Dy. Surgeon-General, I. M. D.

Visitors to the Mysore Government Museum, Bangalore, during the month of January 1874, *were* 4582 *in number, averaging, exclusive of Sundays and Holidays,* 305 *daily.*

SIGNATURES MADE IN—											Total of Signatures.		Unable to sign but tally kept.	Total of Visitors.	Unable to sign, No. of—		Total of Visitors.
English.																	
Europeans.	Natives.	Tamil.	Telugu.	Kanarese.	Hindustani.	Mahratta.	Malayalam.	Guzarati.	Sindhi.	Nagari.	Males.	Females.			Men and Boys.	Women & Girls.	
251	162	322	38	545	194	37	12	21	1	2	1,551	34	2097	4,582	2,206	791	4,582

H. R. OSWALD, M. D.,
Supt., Mysore Govt. Museum.

COORG.

The 19th February 1874.

Notice is hereby given for general information that the licenses for the retail vend of country spirits for the official year, commencing from the 1st April 1874, will be sold by public auction at the undermentioned places, at noon, on the dates named below :—

The licenses for selling toddy in the Nads for the year 1874—75 will be sold at the same places, and on the same dates.:—

Number.	No. of shops in each locality.	Locality in which the shops are situated.	Places where sale will be held.	Date of sale.
1	9	Kaggodlunad ...	Kaggodlunad Cutcherry ...	21st February 1874, Saturday.
2	7	Kuingerinad ...	Kuingerinad do ...	23rd do Monday.
3	2	Benganad ...	Benganad do ...	24th do Tuesday.
4	2	Tavanad ...	Tavanad do ...	25th do Wednesday.
5	9	Padinalknad ...	Padinalknad do ...	26th do Thursday.
6	7	Kadietnad	Kadietnad do ...	27th do Friday.
7	8	Hudigerikantamurnad ...	Hudigerikantamurnad do ...	28th do Saturday.
8	9	Depnad	Bepnad do ...	2nd March 1874 Monday.
9	11	Yedenalknad ...	Yedenalknad do ...	3rd do Tuesday.
10	10	Virajendrapet ..	1st Assistant Superintendent's Office, Virajendrapet	4th do Wednesday.
11	3	Mercara, Halerinad ...	Mercara Talook Cutcherry ...	5th do Thursday.
12	8	Ammatnad ...	Ammatnad Cutcherry	5th do do
13	6	Uriagerinad ...	Kiggatnad Talook do ..	6th do Friday.
14	6	Tavalgerimurnad ...	Tavalgerimurnad do ...	7th do Saturday.
15	5	Hatagatnad ...	Hatgatnad do ...	9th do Monday.
16	8	Bettietnad ...	Bettietnad do ...	10th do Tuesday.
17	3	Freserpet	Nanjarajpatna do ...	11th do Wednesday.
18	1	Ramasawmi Kanave ...	Ramáswami Kanve do ...	12th do Thursday.
19	4	Holugulimudigerinad ..	Mudigerinad do ...	13th do Friday.
20	6	Horurnurokalnad ...	Horurnurokalnad do ...	14th do Saturday.
21	12	Mahadevpet ...	2nd Assistant Superintendent's do ...	16th do Monday.
22	3	Gudinad	Gudinad do	17th do Tuesday.
23	2	Yadavanad... . .	Yadavanad do	18th do Wednesday.
24	1	Nidta Hobli ...	Nidta Hobli do	19th do Thursday.
25	3	Bilhada do ...	Bilahada Hobli do	20th do Friday.
26	2	Kodli do ...	Kodli do do	21st do Saturday.

Terms.—1. The shops will be numbered, and the license for each shop for a year will be put up separately.

2. The highest bidder if approved by the officer conducting the sale to be the purchaser.

3. The license fees are required to be paid quarterly in advance, and the fees for the first quarter will be required to be paid at once, and, failing payment, the sale will be considered cancelled, and the license will be put up again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser.

4. The officer conducting the sale may refuse to accept any bid.

H. G. THOMSON,
Superintendent.

Abstract of Meteorological Reports received from Head Quarters of Districts in the Province of Mysore from 1st to 15th February 1874.

District.	Thermometer. Averages for the half month. 9 30 A. M. Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Difference.	3·30 P. M. Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Differences.	Thermometer. Maximum.	Minimum.	Rain. Inches.	Cents.	Wind.
Kolar† ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	57	...	...	
Toomkoor * ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Mysore ...	78	64	14	82	75	7	94	62	...	...	
Hassan ...	76	63	13	85	65	20	...	56	...	...	Variable.
Shimoga† ...	79	...	...	85	...	...	...	...	...	...	E. W.
Chikmagalur† ...	79	...	...	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Chitaldroog* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	S. W. N. E.

* Not received. † Information received incomplete.

SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1874.

Kolar District.

Rain.—The weather was cool and pleasant. There was no rain in any part of the District, during the month.

Lands.—Lands paying an assessment of Rs. 343—5—8 were newly taken up for cultivation, and none relinquished.

Crops.—In the Taluk of Betmangala, Mulbagal, Chikballapur, and Gummayakanpalya, Vaisak paddy was sown. Bengal-gram was also sown in the last named taluk. Sugar-cane, paddy and other minor crops were reaped in almost all the taluks of the District. The standing wet crops are reported to be in a thriving condition in all the taluks except Kolar. But dry crops have suffered from want of seasonable rain.

Health.—The public health has been on the whole very good during the month. The number of deaths was 597, against 724 in December 1873. The following are the particulars :—

	In Dec. 1873.	In Jan. 1874.		In Dec. 1873.	In Jan. 1784.
From Small-pox ...	20	26	From Accidents and injuries	14	18
„ Fever ...	382	287	„ Other diseases ...	244	198
„ Bowel complaints	61	68			

Cattle.—The total number of deaths among cattle was 1,311, against 2,772 in December 1873. The particulars are as follow :—

	In Dec. 1873.	In Jan. 1874.		In Dec. 1873.	In Jan. 1874.
Cows and Bulls ...	691	278	Horses ...	5	7
Buffaloes ...	338	77	Asses	21	18
Sheep and goats ...	1317	931			

Prices.—The average selling price of the principal food grains during the past month is given below as compared with the previous month :—

	In December 1873. Seers per Rupee.	In Jan. 1874. Seers per Rupee.		In December 1873. Seers per Rupee.	In Jan. 1874. Seers per Rupee.
Wheat ...	8½	8⅝	Jola ...	30	29½
Rice (1st Sort) ...	14⅜	13⅞	Navane ...	58	58
„ (2nd Sort) ...	16¼	15⅞	Haragu ...	64	64
Sajje ...	42	51	Ragi ...	43¼	38¼
Horse-gram ...	20	22¾	Salt ...	10⅝	8

J. RAMAIYA NAIDU,
For Dy. Commr.

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Mysore District.

Rain.—No rain fell during the month.

Crops.—Neither were any crops sown. The standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Paddy, ballar, castor-oil seed, Bengal and horse gram, sugarcane and tobacco were harvested.

Health.—The public health is on the whole good. Fever and small-pox were prevalent; 662 deaths from all causes have been reported.

Cattle.—The mortality among cattle was 1279 head, against 1157 in December 1873.

Prices.—Prices of food grains are stationary.

F. H. T. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Dy. Commr.

Chitaldroog District.

Weather.—There was no rain during the month under report. The average reading of the thermometer at head quarters was 74·2 at 9-30 A. M. and 77· at 3-30 P. M.

Crops.—The crops harvested were ragi, navane, sáme, togari, avare and castor-oil seed. It is reported that in some parts of the Hiriyur and Chitaldroog Taluks, cotton and wheat crops are in an unhealthy state. The seeds sown were paddy and wheat.

Health.—The health of the population was generally good, the mortality being 347 against 362 reported last month. Small pox 16, fever 204, dysentery 39, suicide 2, wounds 1, accident 6 and other diseases 79.

Cattle.—779 head of cattle were lost during the month from murrain and other diseases as particularized below:—

Cows and bullocks 252, he and she buffaloes 210, sheep and goats 297, horses 20.

S. VÉNKAT VARADAIENGAR,
For Offg. Dy. Commr.

POST OFFICE.

The 13th February 1874.

Latest safe date for posting letters, &c., in the Bangalore Post Office, for the undermentioned mails.

Overland Mail	Every Friday by 6—30 P. M.
China do	February 21st, March 7th, 21st, April 4th, 18th, May 2nd, 16th, 30th, and June 13th and 27th.
Australian do	March 4th, April 1st, 29th, May 27th and June 24th.
Regular—Mauritius do	February 13th, March 13th, April 10th, May 8th and June 5th.
Supplemental Mauritius do	February 20th, March 20th, April 17th, May 15th and June 12th.

D. OLIVER,
Post Master.